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### COL. ROE A SUICIDE.

Kills Himself in Presence of His Physician.

Col. F. W. Roe, United States army, retired, son of the late Admiral Roe, shot and killed himself on the veranda of his home at Port Orange, Fla. The act was witnessed by his physician, Dr. H. K. Dubois, who was entering the gate.

Brooding over his illness, which had afflicted him for the last three years, is supposed to be the reason for the deed. The body was sent to Washington, where his mother lives. He leaves a widow.

### Florida As Corn Producer.

That Florida is steadily coming into her own as a corn-producing state is becoming more and more evident. The enormous yields of corn which are secured when proper application of the soil is made by the grower evidences the fact that corn can be grown with as much success in Florida as in any of the famous corn-producing states of the central west. In Marion county a farmer having 1,100 acres set out in corn is going to get an average of 95 to 100 bushels to the acre.

### Prominent Pastor Dies.

The Rev. C. E. W. Dobbs, who arrived at Louisville, Ky., from Jacksonville, Fla., to fill pulpit appointments there, died suddenly of a heart attack. He was a noted Baptist minister, and was one of the last two surviving members of the second class of the Southern Baptist seminary when it was located at Greenville, S. C., before the war.

### Raney Issues Call.

Call was issued by George P. Raney, chairman, for a meeting of the State Democratic Executive committee at Jacksonville, October 7, to take measures to aid in the election of nominees of the Democratic party, national, state and county.

### Bandit Chase Abandoned.

Members of the posse which has been chasing the four bandits who robbed the Homestead, Fla., bank of \$6,000 and killed three of their pursuers in one of the two pistol battles returned to Miami and stated that they believed the other bandits would not be caught.

## Monumental ...Work...

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## MANY COUNTY FAIRS IN STATE OF FLORIDA

More Than Usual Interest  
Shown This Fall

### FORMER FAIRS ECLIPSED

Every County Beginning to Realize the Benefits Derived From First-Class Industrial and Agricultural Fairs.

Fair talk in west Florida, north Florida, east Florida, south Florida, middle Florida and every other part of Florida is beginning to feature discussions. It will be fair time soon. Every part of the state will hold either local or sectional fairs of some kind, and in each instance the exposition will eclipse the ones previous. If reports are to be relied on.

The probabilities are that there will be more fairs in Florida this year than ever before. Every county is beginning to realize the good that comes from first-class industrial and agricultural fairs.

More than the usual interest is being manifested this year in these expositions.

A Masonic temple costing \$75,000 is to be erected at New Smyrna.

### NATIONAL RIFLE SHOOT.

Civilians Will Be Permitted to Take Part in Same.

The national rifle matches will be held at Jacksonville, Fla., beginning October 11.

For the first time in the history of national rifle matches for the military, civilians will be permitted to take part in the shoot this year. The matches at Jacksonville will be featured with an innovation. The war department has approved the suggestion of the National Rifle association, the membership of which consists of thousands of crack riflemen who are private citizens. The governors of the various states have been urged to encourage the sending of at least one team of civilian riflemen to take part in the various matches.

It is expected that there will be a ready response. Every state is expected to be represented. The result will be that the meeting will be the largest and most interesting that has yet been pulled off.

### Will Build Fine Home.

Work began preparatory to laying the foundation for the erection of a \$30,000 home at Ormond Beach for A. B. Wallace, of Springfield, Mass., owner of the largest department store in New England.

### Wear Alligators Now.

Wearing alligators is the latest fad at Tampa. Several women are wearing one on each shoulder. The alligators are very young, and of the horned tailed variety.

## Round About Florida

The first party of homeseekers has arrived in Florida from the west.

The Lake Worth-Okeechobee canal is expected to be finished about the first of the coming year.

The Bank of Orlando, a new financial institution, has opened for business.

Plans for the new bridge over the St. Johns river at Jacksonville have been submitted.

A carload of twenty-three pure-bred Aberdeen-Angus cattle was recently received by a large stock farm in Marion county.

A clean-up campaign has been inaugurated at West Palm Beach. Dr. A. H. King is the newly appointed health officer.

The Florida State College for Women opened its regular session for the fall term 1916-17 with a record-breaking attendance.

Governor Trammell offered a reward of \$600 for the capture and conviction of the four Homestead bank robbers, or \$150 for each.

The appointment of a supervising board to administer the drainage of the Everglades from the ground upon which the work will be conducted is being agitated.

Prospects are bright for the growing of a comparatively large acreage of strawberries at Crystal Springs this fall and winter and a considerable acreage of cabbages.

The Leesburg-Hovvey special road district voted \$65,000 in bonds for a sand asphalt highway connecting Leesburg with Hovvey on the west and with Travers on the northeast.

The South Jacksonville public schools, under the leadership of Mrs. McNamar, will open on the 2nd of October, and it is expected that a large enrollment will be had this year.

The contract for the construction of the new bridge across the Indian river, from Cocoa to Merritt Island, was awarded to a Jacksonville firm, whose bid of \$58,002.60 was the lowest among eleven competitive bids.

Tarpon fishing in the St. Johns river this season no doubt has surpassed that of any previous season and the sport has really put the St. Johns on the map as a field for the big game fish.

Plans are now on foot in Miami for the erection of a Masonic temple, entailing a cost of \$75,000, according to a report from a joint committee of the Masonic lodges of Miami and Biscayne Bay.

A committee has been appointed by W. F. Miller, of Valrico, president of the South Florida Chamber of Commerce, to take under advisement the formation of a traffic bureau for that section, which he declares much needed.

County convicts are now doing effective work in road construction on Anastasia Island. They recently completed a road to Assembly Beach through a dense jungle and now they are at work constructing a road from Assembly Beach to South Beach.

The body of Della Wright, a negroess, was discovered by friends in her shack on the Mandarin road, near Plummer. A bottle of poison was found in the room, and is thought to have been the cause of her death by suicide.

The keel of the 2,000-ton steel freighter for the Gulf and Southern Steamship company will be laid in the shipyards of the Merrill-Stevens company, marking the beginning of the largest vessel ever constructed at Jacksonville. The ship will cost approximately \$250,000.

Hundreds of Arcadians witnessed the dipping of 1,500 head of cattle or the ranch of Parker Brothers, a mile east of Arcadia. The monetary value of the cattle driven through the vat to remove ticks was in the neighborhood of \$40,000, and this was the largest number ever dipped in that county.

Another large packing plant for Jacksonville may be erected.

Fletcher K. Trammell has been appointed postmaster at Alachua.

The Florida troops have been ordered to the border.

The Bank of Orange at Orlando now occupies its new building, costing \$18,000.

Noah Hicks, who was injured in an automobile accident, died at a local hospital in Jacksonville.

The postoffice department estimates the population of Tallahassee, state capital, as served through city delivery service, to be 4,200.

The postoffice at Lake City was moved from the building in the center of the city to the new building just finished on North street.

Two alleged violators of the Florida liquor law were fined \$50 each in the municipal court at Jacksonville by Judge W. W. Anderson.

Col. Samuel W. Miller was detailed by the war department as executive officer of the national rifle matches to be held at Jacksonville.

The First Methodist Episcopal church, which was destroyed by fire at West Palm Beach last January, will be replaced soon with a \$10,000 structure.

Elaborate preparations are in progress for the celebration of Farmers' day at St. Augustine. The chamber of commerce has decided to observe the day on October 20.

Mrs. Mary Robertson died at her home on Saragossa street, at St. Augustine, after an illness of several weeks. She was over 80 years of age.

Much attention is being given to growing broom brush in the Lake City section. Columbia county will grow two crops of broom corn, one in June and one in September.

Vast tracts of cut-over timber lands are being converted into cattle ranges in the western part of the state. It is said that in Santa Rosa county alone 105,000 acres is being stocked.

According to advices from Tampa, the members of the Naval Base commission will visit that city in the near future to look over the prospects for the establishment of a naval base aeroplane station there.

T. H. Kelly, for several years connected with the Fernandina Record as sporting editor and editorial writer, has gone to New York, where he will become identified with the Morning Telegraph of that city.

Fifteen Polk county banks now hold on deposit \$1,516,018.83, being the proceeds of the good roads bonds recently issued. Work on the roads throughout the county will start immediately, in order that the work can be completed early next year.

The Escambia County Medical society has issued invitations to physicians of Georgia, Florida and Alabama to attend the convention of physicians which will be held at Pensacola October 25 and 26. In the neighborhood of 200 doctors and their families are expected to attend.

Pensacola is given honorable mention in a statement issued by the postmaster general as being one of ninety cities where the postal savings now on deposit exceed \$100,000. The exact amount now on deposit at Pensacola is \$108,523.

Major Elijah B. Martindale, Jr., artillery corps, is relieved from duty in the coast defenses of southern New York, to take effect on or about November 1, 1916, and will then proceed to Key West Barracks, Fla., and assume command of the coast defenses of Key West.

News of a new boat, the Vagabondia, which will be seen in Florida waters this winter, has been received at Miami. The Vagabondia has been built in New York for W. L. Mellon, of Pittsburg, who has been a visitor at Miami each winter for a number of years.

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### TURNER'S EXECUTION.

Order For Hanging Is Second Death Warrant Issued.

Willie Turner, the negro who was convicted of the murder of F. C. Avery, the old turkman, last November, and who is said to have buried his body in a stable, will be hanged in Gainesville, Fla., Friday, October 20. Sheriff Ramsey having received the death warrant from Governor Trammell fixing the date.

This is the second death warrant issued for Turner. The first one fixed the date for his execution on August 25, and was revoked just a few days before the date arrived. According to officials, there are no legal barriers in the way for the negro's execution October 20.

Griggs can supply you with most anything in the eating line. Phone orders given prompt attention. (adv.) 1f.

### Music and Expression Club

#### Club Officers Elected

The Music and Expression club met at the home of Josephine Reid, Friday, Sep. 29.

There was no program, as the time was devoted to the election of officers for the ensuing year. Those elected were as follows:

President, Mrs. H. C. Goldstein; Vice-President, Grace Laubach; Secretary, Florence Robinson; Treasurer, Josephine Reid; Critic, Miss Pennington.

Lillian Corbett and Thelma White were elected to serve on the program committee. It was moved and carried that Mrs. McQueen be elected as an honorary member. She was also elected directress from Punta Gorda for the South Florida Music Lovers' Association.

After being served with refreshments, the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Hawkins, Friday, Oct. 6.—Florence Robinson, Sec.

### Do You Know That

It is dangerous to put anything into the mouth except food and drink?

Sanitary instruction is even more important than sanitary legislation?

The United States Public Health Service issues free bulletins on tuberculosis?

The continuous use of alcoholic beverages lowers efficiency and menaces longevity?

Moderate exercise in the open air prolongs life?

"Mouth breathing" makes children stupid?

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